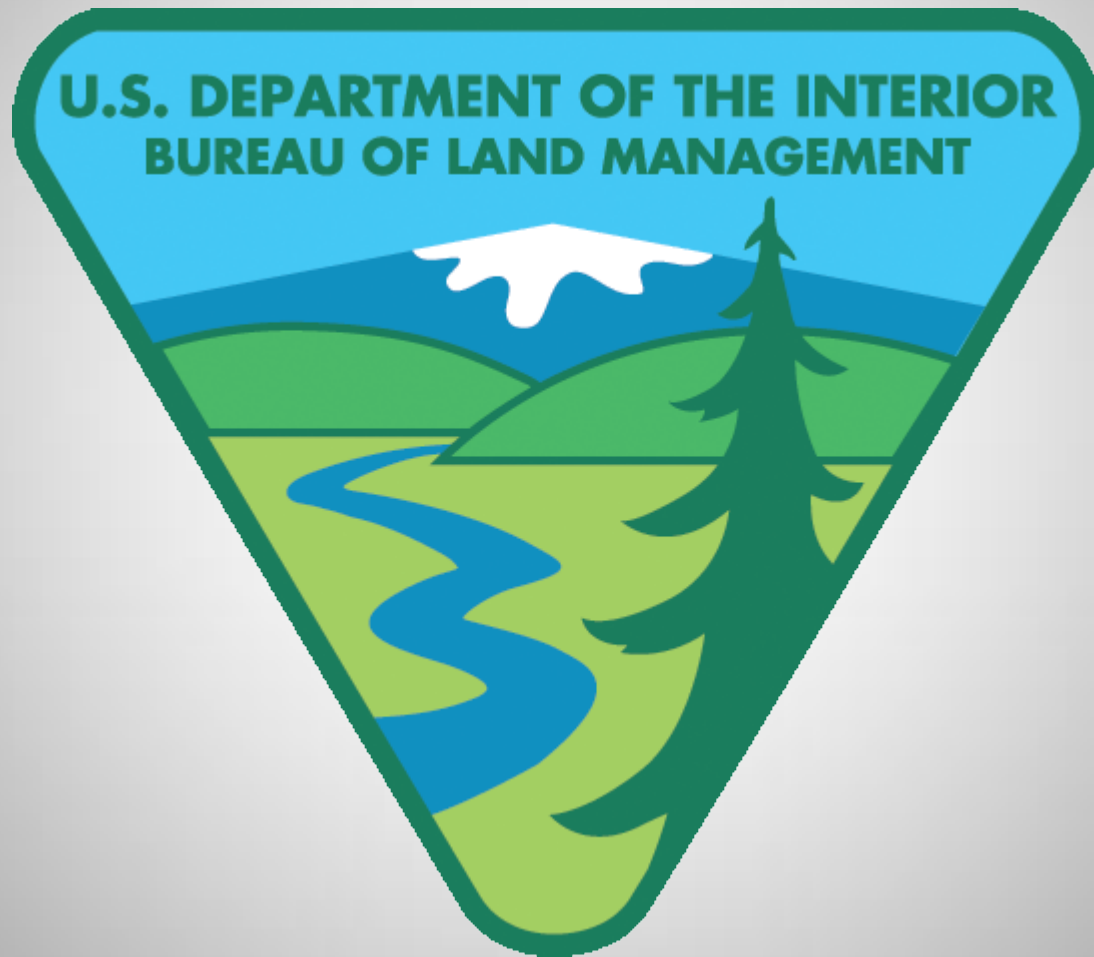


MINERALS MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

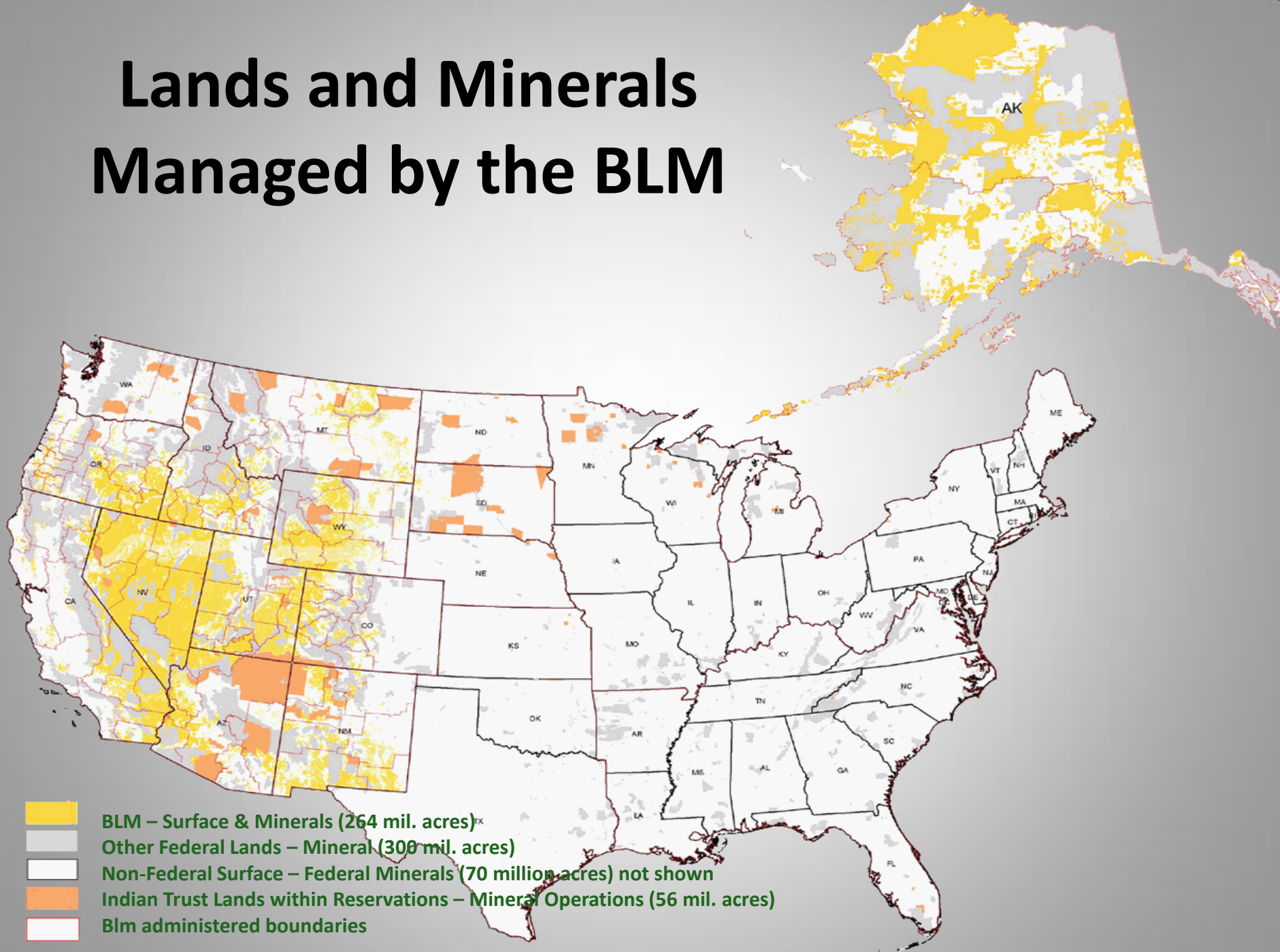


BLM at a Glance



- The BLM's Mission -
 - To sustain the health, diversity, and productivity of the public lands for the use and enjoyment of present and future generations
- What BLM Does -
 - Manages 264 million acres of land and more than 560 million acres of subsurface minerals estate
 - Manages for energy and minerals, forestry, fish and wildlife, wilderness, and recreation interests
- The BLM Minerals Program Administers -
 - Hard rock, oil and gas, geothermal, saleable and leasable mineral resources

Lands and Minerals Managed by the BLM



BLM Mineral Resource Management



Oil and Gas



Coal





BLM Mineral Resource Management

Locatable



Geothermal





BLM Mineral Resource Management

Sand and Gravel



Other – Saleable/Leasable





Current Minerals Demand

- **Gold, Silver, Copper, Molybdenum, Uranium, etc.**
- **Oil and Gas**
- **Geothermal**
- **Coal, Trona, Phosphate, Gypsum, Potash**
- **Sand and Gravel**
- **Limestone and Decorative Rock**

NEVADA STATISTICS

- **Largest Locatable Minerals Program in BLM**
- **Almost one million mining claims filed**
- **5th largest gold producer in the world**
- **80% of the U.S. gold production**
- **17 different locatable mineral commodities**
- **68% of land base is BLM (public lands)**
- **Largest Minerals Materials program in BLM**
- **Over 250 MW of electrical power is produced from geothermal resources**

Trends and Changes

- **Increased demand for mineral resources**
- **Increased demand for mineral resource specialists**
- **Mature workforce is retiring**
- **Need to backfill Mining Engineers, Geologists, and other minerals specialists**
- **We are recruiting for the future workforce of BLM**